

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House will next meet at 12:00 noon on Wednesday, September 3.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST p. D839)

H.J. Res. 90, waiving certain enrollment requirements with respect to two specified bills of the One Hundred Fifth Congress. Signed August 1, 1997. (P.L. 105-32)

H.R. 2015, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to subsections (b)(1) and (c) of section 105 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1998. Signed August 5, 1997. (P.L. 105-33)

H.R. 2014, to provide for reconciliation pursuant to subsections (b)(2) and (d) of section 105 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1998. Signed August 5, 1997. (P.L. 105-34)

H.R. 1226, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to prevent the unauthorized inspection of tax returns or tax return information. Signed August 5, 1997. (P.L. 105-35)

H.R. 709, to reauthorize and amend the National Geologic Mapping Act of 1992. Signed August 5, 1997. (P.L. 105-36)

S. 430, to amend the Act of June 20, 1910, to protect the permanent trust funds of the State of New Mexico from erosion due to inflation and modify the basis on which distributions are made. Signed August 7, 1997. (P.L. 105-37)

S. 670, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Technical Corrections Act of 1994 to eliminate the special transition rule for issuance of a certificate of citizenship for certain children born outside the United States. Signed August 8, 1997. (P.L. 105-38)

H.R. 1198, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain land to the city of Grants Pass, Oregon. Signed August 8, 1997. (P.L. 105-39)

H.R. 1944, to provide for a land exchange involving the Warner Canyon Ski Area and other land in the State of Oregon. Signed August 11, 1997. (P.L. 105-40)

H.R. 1585, to allow postal patrons to contribute to funding for breast cancer research through the voluntary purchase of certain specially issued United

States postage stamps. Signed August 13, 1997. (P.L. 105-41)

H.R. 408, to amend the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to support the International Dolphin Conservation Program in the eastern tropical Pacific Ocean. Signed August 15, 1997. (P.L. 105-42)

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of September 3 through 6, 1997

Senate Chamber

On *Wednesday*, Senate will continue consideration of S. 1061, Labor/HHS Appropriations, 1998, and H.R. 2160, Agriculture Appropriations, 1998.

During the week, Senate may begin consideration of S. 830, Food and Drug Administration Modernization and Accountability Act, or consider H.R. 2107, Interior Appropriations, 1998.

Senate may also consider any cleared legislative and executive business, and conference reports when available.

(Senate will recess on *Wednesday, September 3, 1997* from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m. for respective party conferences.)

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: September 4, to hold hearings to examine rural and agricultural credit issues, 9 a.m., SR-332.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: September 4, to hold hearings on S. 8, authorizing funds through fiscal year 2002 for programs of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Liability, and Compensation Act of 1980, 2 p.m., SD-406.

Committee on Foreign Relations: September 4, Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs, to hold hearings to examine the current situation in Cambodia, 9 a.m., SD-419.

September 4, Full Committee, to hold hearings on the nomination of Peter L. Scher, of the District of Columbia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Special Trade Negotiator, 2 p.m., SD-419.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: September 4 and 5, to resume hearings to examine certain matters with regard to the committee's special investigation on campaign financing, 10 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on the Judiciary: September 3, to hold hearings to examine the legal regulations governing Union violence, 10:30 a.m., SD-226.